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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated May 13, 2008. Response was due on August 13, 2008. Applicants request extension of time to October 13, 2008. Therefore this paper is being filed timely.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

This submission also includes a Declaration pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.131, and the accompanying Exhibit A.